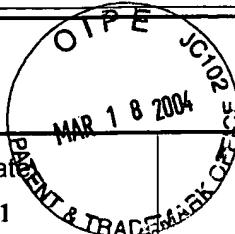


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
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In Re Application Of: Hansen Jr. et al



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Invention: 2-AMINO-2-ALKYL-3-HEXENOIC AND HEXENOIC ACID DERIVATIVES USEFUL AS NITRIC  
 OXIDE SYNTHASE INHIBITORS

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 10/02/2003 above-identified application.

*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months  
 from: 1/2/2004      until: 4/2/2004  
*Date*      *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$950 and is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
 The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-1025  
 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1025

*Signature*

Dated: **March 15, 2004**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on March 15, 2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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